

REMARKS

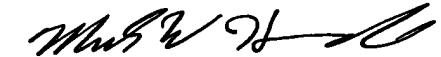
Claims 1-35 remain pending in the application.

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) application is submitted in an abundance of caution simply to place an additional reference before the Examiner for consideration. The reference is referred to in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement presented herewith. While the applicant does not believe that the references affect the patentability of the claims as-allowed, it is submitted in an abundance of caution.

Examination of claims 1-35 is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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